

Which was read and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Nesbitt obtained leave to bring in a bill relating to the fees of the jailor of Washington county;

Ordered, That Messrs. Nesbitt, Weast, Zeigler and Claggett report the same.

Mr. Orrick obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled an act supplementary to the charter of the Hereford Savings Institution in Baltimore county,

Ordered, That Messrs. Orrick, Holmes and Poultney report the same.

Mr. Weems, chairman of the committee on inspections, reported a bill, entitled a supplement to an act passed at December session 1817, ch. 114, to regulate the inspection of salted fish; and

Mr. England reported a bill, entitled a supplement to an act for the benefit of Henry Harding, late sheriff and collector of Montgomery county;

Which were severally read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Jones of Kent, from the committee on education, to which was referred the bill reported by Mr. Welsh of Kent, entitled an act for the more equal distribution of the funds applied to education in Kent county, reported the same with the following amendments:

Amendments proposed,

Sec. 3. 1st line, strike out the words "paid to" and insert the words "divided said donations among;"

In 4th section, 3rd line, between the word donation in said line and the word mentioned in 4th line, add the words "five hundred dollars."

Which was read and assented to.

The said bill was read the second time by a special order, passed with the proposed amendments and sent to the senate.

The report and resolutions in relation to the constitutional rights of slaveholders, and the case of Bemis and others,

Was sent to the senate.

Mr. Gaither, from the committee on corporations, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled a further supplement to an act to unite Middletown, Keller's addition to Middletown and Wise's addition to Middletown, into one, and incorporate the same;

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Gaither, from the same committee, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled a supplement to an act, entitled, an act to authorise the New Castle and Frenchtown Turnpike Company, to make a rail road from Frenchtown, on Elk River, to the Delaware line, in a direction towards Newcastle;

Which was read.

The said bill was then read the second time by a special order;

Mr. Tuck moved to amend said bill by inserting after the word "road," in the 1st section, 5th line, the following: